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Christmas is Coming.

MRS J. F MONROE. decl4 1m

Gold Mining. Unionville, Va., Dec. 23, 1899.

To The Free Lance : sue of 21st inst., is in error in his statement about there being a lull in operations at the Millyiew mines. It is true that the old Millyiew Co. new the purchases, but could obtain no intraction. true that the old Millview Co-puny formation as to who made the mistake, is a thing of the past and has been for and the little Miss is \$2.49 better off sometime, but mining has been carried than before.

al machiners for chloridizing. Everything here points to success under the present management, and the ones. while we do not doubt the "Boston" Mine is good, we do not think it the best and richest in the district, as"S.

May the "Lone " staff have a merry

Local and Corrent Comments

Mrs. H. Frank Jones is visiting Mis-

Rev. S. H. Forrer left Christmas Day Mrs. Ann Duerson, of Spotsylvania, ciety people lock forward to it with

Washington, spent a partien of the V. Harrison.

Capt W. A. Smith and wife of

King George, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A Randolph Howard. Mrs H L Ball and little daughter,

of Northumberland, are visiting Mrs. Ball's sister, Mrs. S. G. Daniel. Mrs. Kate K. Henry, of Washington s the guest of Judge J E Mason and

wife at their home on Hanover St.

Mr G L Thornton, of Washington, and Mr. D B Powers, Jr. of Port Royal, spent yesterday in the city Cadet Austin McCracken, of the Hurkamp family Blacksburg Military School, is spending the Xmas b bdays here with his W. N. El ko.

Mr George Mullen, of Washington only, spent a portion of the Xmas here, and was greeted by many of his old

of Richmond, were the guests several days this work of their sister. Mrs. J. P. Rowe.

Mrs W.C. Stearns gave an elegant mechania "Federal Hall" on Sa'ur-lay, in honor of her friend, Miss Nannie Furbes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Davis and son, Harry, of Washington, D. O. are the guests of Mr and Mrs. H. D. Genther Masonic Lodge was one of more than Norfolk; Miss Mamie Ellis, and Mrs. for the holidays.

Rev Decatur Edwards has returned of The ladge had just returned from Niebolasville. Ky, where he assisted Rev. I B Timberlake in a series of revival meetings.

General Washington, in which Masons michael and H. H. Henderson, Miss

og of the Informary Department of and privilege it shall be on the 14th day Rice Hoce, of King George; Miss Chewning and family.

The poem, "The Night After Christ. | memory."

rutches in two weeks.

ton, Prince William county, Va.

herd, Hawke, Lewis Charlotte, Davis Gallery here can make them for ple obedience to the tenets of our order Bowman and wife, Miss Edmonia

you See their specimens. A marriage licenses were issued in Washington Tuesday to Mr. Richard resolution was also unanimously adopt- H. Merchant and Miss Eva Lillian and Miss Eva Lillian ed thanking Judge J. B. Senet for the Shepherd, Mrs. L. C. Mitchell, of Maddox, both of Manassas, and to Mr. Z W Chewning, of Orange, and Miss Ula In z Pru-tt, of Lancaster.

There was never a more joyous expression on the face of any child than that of little Charles Wellace, when he was conducted into the parior of his father's home Xmis morning and Time

gazed on his hand om . Xmas tree. The society young ladies of the city will give a german at the Exchange Hotel Friday night and invite their

esc rts. The young gentlemen in many instances will have the pleasure of say-ing. Thank you, I have an engage-Our men's \$3.50 shoesequal \$3.50, beance we do not pay the manufacturer

tising in magazines all over the United States; the manufacturer fixing the retail price. We fix our own price. J. W. Thomas, Mr. Harvey H. Oustatt, of Hicks ville, Ohio, and Miss Lilla Belle Hais-

inc, of this city, were married in Washington Taesday. The groom is one of the men who were engaged here in building the new railroad bridge across the Rappahanneck river.

A young girl in spending her Christ-

on continuously since Oct. 1st, and on Dec. 14th, the entire plant was sold to C. L. Straughan, trustes, who has had charge of the mine and who is now working a full force of men, and will early in the new year, put in additionwere also guests on Xmas day The X-nas tree for the children was very handsome and gave great joy to the lit

place. He leaves for his southern home wite the best wishes of a host of tribude "

Mr. Lawrence T J Callett and Miss THURS AY, DECEMBER 28, 1899. Miss Annie Elam, of Richmond, is the guest of Col E. D. Cole and family were married yesterday at the parsonage at Stafford Court house, Rev. J. Kyle Gilbert efficiating

Kee, S. H. Forrer left Christmas Day to spend the helidays at his old home of her nephew, Mr. in Strasburg

When in need of good cysters send your orderst. John M. Griffin, 600 Main street.

Messrs. Hornes and E. M. Tansill, of Messrs. Hornes and E. M. Tansill, of the Messrs. Hornes and E. M. Tansill, of the Messrs. William Johnson Tuesday night. She was 82 years eld.

A marriage license was issued in Washington on Saturday to Ernest S. Herbert, of Westmoreland and Lillian V. Harrison.

Mrs. R. C. Shepherd, of Nashville, State Normal at Farmville, spent a portion of the family of Mrs. W. Shepherd.

State Normal at Farmville, spent a portion of the Xmas holidays with her mother here.

Mrs. R. C. Shepherd, of Nashville, State Normal at Farmville, spent a portion of the Xmas holidays with her mother here. Miss Julia Scaegs, a student in the day'morning. At 12 supper was served.

Mr. James E. Bradley returned to Baltimore yesterday after a visit of a week. He will go on to New York tomorrow.

Misses Wilmer Wheeler and Mattie
Tansid are spending the Xmas with
Mrs. C. L. Cole in Farmville.

V. D. Conway, A. D. Tapscott, J. T.
Goodrick, A. B. Botis, W. L. Slaughter,
A. W. Emberg, A. B. Vates, John E.

Mr. Theo M. Bradley is spending the holidays with the family of Mr. O. T. Terrell, in Orange.

is spending the Xmas with his mether, Mrs. W. S. White. Mr. and Mrs. W J Ford, of Circlenati, are spending the X-mas with the

Lodge No. 4, H. F. & A M.

IT WILL PLACE EVERGREENS ON THE TOME OF WASHINGTON AT MT. VERNON BACH YEAR.

Recognition to the Grand Lodge in Electing | Alexandria; Miss Louise McClarty and Capt S J Quinn Grand Junior Deacen. | B. C. Young, Miss Burwell, of Nor-

The last meeting of Fredericksburg lian Montague and Geo. Meredith, of terest, and was well attend- | Carolina, and Thomas Shepherd, Miss

Mr. Coalter B. Carmichael of from most of the States of the Union Abbie St John and H. T. Holladay Savaenah, Ga., Dr. R. B. Carmichael, of Washington, and Mr. James H. D. with the Grand Lodge of Virginia in Douglett and W. C. Warren, Miss Mattre Doublett, of New York, were guests here None. We can furnish you the correct fall distinguished consideration shown it distinguishe

Mosers A. H. Chewning, Jr. and E. P. C. Chewning, of Washington, are spending the Xmas helidays with their father. Mr. A. H. Chewning, of Spitality of the ladge in which Washington was Peyton Moneare, of Washington; Misseylvania d zen Fascinators and 3 d zen O iental Table Covers Ali very cheap, useful members the virtues of the illustrious Miss Mary Fitzhugh and G. W. and nice for Xmos gifts, at E. T. Washington, and to that end it was Shepherd, Jr., Miss Edmonia Fitzhugh May James Littlell, of this city, were lodge to be held in June, 1900, and at Sailie L. Tapscott and W. W. Braxton married at St. George's rectory on the same time in each and every sucto choose some members whose duty Sadie Nalls, of Washington, an

Virginia Hospital, at Richmond, of December, 1900, and on that day in Nellie Carmichael and C. B Carmit the holidays with Dr G. H. each and every succeeding December michael, of Savannah, Ga; Miss Dora to convey to and deposit on the tomb Hooe and Tom Naile, of Washington You will find a large assortment of of Worshipful Brother George Washing-You will find a range assertment to the did y goods, fine stationery, elegant ton, at Mount Vernon, a simple wreath perfumery, beautiful cologne bettles, leather goods, etc at Holl's Hawke's Speciacles make a nice Xmas present will continually cherish and revere his E. Bradley, W. D. Scott, Jr., John

mas," written by a Fredericksburg lady and published for the first time in The Free Lance last wack, was teproduced and credited by the New York Sun of last Sunday.

Mr. A. J. Mallery, of Orange, who Mr. Corbin also presented resolutions Goolrick, Edward Tayloe, R. H. Carmichael, Prof. E. B. Ellis, R. M. Naile, of Washington, D. C. OTHERS PRESENT.

Mrs. Kate K. Henry, of Washington: Mr. A. J. Mallory, of Orange, who as appropriate action of the closing wagen run over his leg and breaking it about two weeks ago, is steadily im tennial year, and one that honored that D. Scott, Mr. J. W. Daniel of Washingproving, and hopes to be able to be on grand body as well as Fredericksburg ton; A. B. Botts, W. L. Slaughter, Lodge No. 4 It was asserted that the Judge J. T. Goolrick, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs Fannie P. Shaw and daughter,
Mrs Wm L. Bradbury, left the city
Monday to be present at the golden
wedding of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Leachman, at "Folly Cartle," near Wellington, Prince William county, Va. spread the true light of Masonry's than fregen, Miss Mattie Young, Dr. J. N. There is nothing a true friend will Capt Quion, and that "we know he Barney, and wife, M. C. Thompson more appreciate than a beautifully during the Carbon Photograph of yourself during the Curistmas helidays. The him, and enforce by precept and examines. And wife, M. C. Thompson, will be faithful to the trust reposed in him, and enforce by precept and examines. Jones, of North Carolina; Dr. D. C.

> and guard well her landmarks " On motion of A Randelph Howard a W. Embrey, Dr. M. M. Lewis, Mrs. W. able and efficient manner in which he | Lancaster county, and Mrs. Herace had represented the lodge in the Grand Ball, of Northumberland, and many Lodge of Virginia for the several years others.

Prevented A Tragedy.

Timely information given Mrs George
Long, of New Straitsville, Ohio, prevented a dreadful tragedy and saved
two lives. A frightful cough had long
kept her awake every night. She had
tried many remedies and dectors but
steadily grew worse until urged to try
Dr. King's N. w Discovery. One bottle wholly cough her, and writes, this tle wholly cured her, and writes this each direction; final limit January 4th, marvelous medicine also cored Mr. 1900. O. C. C.x. Agent. Such cures are positive proof of the matchless merit of this grand remedy for caring all throat, thest and lung troubles Only 50 and \$1.00 Every bottle guaranteed. Trial battles free at M. M. Length They Store. M. M. Lewis' Drug Store.

Opera House "Woman in History Mr. Algernon B. Chandler, Jr., will reputation as an orator that had preceded deliver, under the auspices of the Mary him from the University of Virginia Washington Hospital Association, the and Atlanta, Ga The speaker showed above entitled lecture at the Opera a thorough knowledge and mastery of kept up, but quite faintly at times. An After German Supper.

On Xmas morning while Henry
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tilford, of Washington, gave a delightful supper after the german Tuesday night at the residence of Mrs. Nellie Carmichael. The guests were Miss. Burwell, of Norfolk, while hand will have to be taken off the formal times at the Opera House Friday evening. December 29 his subject. In thought, diction, and in delivery, he charmed his hearers, woman and oratory will forego the pleasure of hearing this discourse. Mr. Chaudler is a M. A. University Virginia orator, medalist. Washington sognitive formal f Mr. W. H. Hurkamp, Mr. and Mr. C. H. Hurkamp, Mr. and Mr. C. Minor Botts, Mr. Howard Hayes, of Baltimore, and Mr. R. H. C. Minor Botts, Mr. Howard Hayes, of Baltimore, and Mr. R. H. C. Minor Botts, Mr. Howard Hayes, of Baltimore, and Mr. R. H. C. Minor Botts, Mr. Howard Hayes, of Baltimore, and Mr. R. H. C. Minor Botts, Mr. Howard Hayes, of Baltimore, and Mr. R. H. C. Minor Botts, Mr. Howard Hayes, of Baltimore, and Mr. R. H. C. Minor Botts, Mr. Howard Hayes, of Baltimore, and Mr. R. H. C. Minor Botts, Mr. Howard Hayes, of Baltimore, and Mr. R. H. C. Minor Botts, Mr. Howard Hayes, of Baltimore, and Mr. R. H. C. Minor Botts, Mr. Howard Hayes, of Baltimore, and Mr. R. H. Howard Howard Hayes, of Baltimore, and Mr. R. H. G. Minor Botts, Mr. Howard Hayes, of Baltimore, and Mr. R. H. G. Minor Botts, Mr. Howard Hayes, of Baltimore, and Mr. R. H. G. Minor Botts, Mr. Howard Hayes, of Baltimore, and Mr. R. H. G. Minor Botts, Mr. Howard Hayes, of Baltimore, and Mr. R. H. G. Minor Botts, Mr. Howard Hayes, of Baltimore, and Mr. R. H. G. Minor Botts, Mr. Howard Hayes, of Baltimore, and Mr. R. H. G. Minor Botts, Mr. Howard Hayes, of Baltimore, and Mr. R. H. G. Minor Botts, Mr. Howard Hayes, of Baltimore, and Mr. R. H. G. Minor Botts, Mr. Howard Hayes, of Baltimore, and Mr. R. H. G. Minor Botts, Mr. Howard Hayes, of Baltimore, and Mr. R. H. G. Minor Botts, Mr. Howard Hayes, of Baltimore, and Mr. R. H. G. Minor Botts, Mr. Howard Hayes, of Baltimore, and Mr. R. H. Hayes, of Baltimore, Mr. H. Hayes, of Baltimore, Mr. H. Hayes, Mr. Howard Hayes, of Baltimore, and Mr. C. Minor Botts, Mr. Howard Hayes, of Baltimore, and Mr. R. H. Hayes, of Baltimore, Mr. H. Hayes, of Baltimor ciety ('93) and a close history student. in full and he was later eagerly sought S. J. Quinn as chairman of committee took steamer here recently en route onist-one in the chin, one in the neck, sented a hands me picture as the children and guests were gathered around throughout the State as commencement on history. orator. This intensely interesting subject becomes doubly so under the elo-Your correspondent of Orange in iswas made some small purchases in several stores here. When she got home in quent touches of the chaste and force-

> Death of Rev. John Atkinson. est Episcop al ministers in the State and a bottle.

Bismarck's Iron Nerve

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Indomitable will and tremendous encount while encount while encount where Stomach who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs.
P. Cooper, for the past three weeks, left on Monday for Greenville, South Carolina, where they expect to make their future home; Mr. Amiss having secured a fine business position in that

Was the result of his spendid health. Indomitable will and tremendous encounts while encount while encount had been to make his Christians and been to make his Christians puchases.

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Nannie Forbes and Mr James Britton

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Rowlett, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Howard, of Alexandria;

Mr. C. H. Herkamp and Miss Lizzie

Hurkamp, Miss Jennie Phillips and W.

C. Nalle, of Washington, D. C.; Miss

Resalte H. Shafer, of Bon Air, and Charles S. Bradley, Mr. and Mrs.

Frank Telford, of Washington, D. C.

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Lena Rowe and J. M. Conway, of

folk, and W. H Hurkamp, Miss Lil

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bloody duel, resulting in the death of

one of the participants, and the prob-

able mortal wounding of the other oc

curred yesterday afternoon at Scrabble,

consins, between whom there had, for

convival manner, and both were look-

respective homes they met on the pub-

Emanuel Campbell fired the first shot,

it striking Richard just! above the

hovering between life and death, with

the chances of recovery against him.

Candidate for Congress.

Intimate friends of Mr. Robt S

he will be a candidate for the nomina-

tion in the First Congressional Dis-

trict at the hands of the Republican

Mr. Bristow is a prominent merchant

Culpaper, Va , December 26 -A

The telephone line in Lancaster is in county. Richard and Emanuel Campbell, very bad condition; poles are falling across the roads and the wires are many years, existed a fend, it appears lodged in trees. Communication is had been celebrating Christmas in a

Miss Lillian Tellis, of this place, was married on last Sunday in Baltimore ing for trouble. In returning to their to a Mr. Hart, of that city.

iting Mrs. A. J. Hamilton, here. Mr. Harry Cunningham, of Delanco,

for Richmond, where they will remain and one in the shoulder, and he is now for several weeks.

prospects for a higher market are poor. The shucking houses, of which there known citizen and farmer of this counparalysis, with which which he was from forty to fifty cents per bushel acstricken the day before, as a result of cording to the quality and size of the

an accident by falling from his wagon while en route home, from this city where he had been to make his Christmas pu chases. He was in the 61st year of his sge, and a native of Caroline county. He leaves a wife and five children.

Divalve.

An officer from New Jersey arrested two o lored people, man and woman, at Millenbeck, Lancaster county, this morning and took them on to that line county. He leaves a wife and five children.

P A. Danforth, of LaGrange, Ga, suffered intensely for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg, mander of the Grand Camp of Confederate vertex at Millenbeck, Lancaster county, this morning and took them on to that line county. He leaves a wife and five children.

State this afternoon. They are wanted there for burglary and forgery.

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(Correspondence of The Free Lance)

Captain M. W. Gourley and a party of friends are considering the matter of purchasing Bushy Park tract and fish pond as a game preserve in lower Middlesex, owned by W. W. Woodward

a little postoffice set upon a peak of the and others. Blue Rige mountains in Rappahannock

Misses Virgie Revere and Emma lie highway and both instantly drew their pistols and egan shooting. Gouldman, of Fredericksburg, are vis

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The reception held here on Wednesday night by Capt. and Mrs. A. J. Hamilton in commemoration of their fifth nuptial anniversary was quite a recherche affair.

Mr and Mrs. George W. Thompson, of White Stone, Va., celebrated their silver wedding Friday night, December 22nd.

Oyster market is still very dull and prospects for a higher market are poor. The reception held here on Wednes-Bristow, of Middlesex county, say that

nominating convention next summer. and the postmaster at Urbanna. He is a gentleman of means and some prominence, and no doubt will make a warm are three on Carter's Creek, are the fight both in convention and before the only places that are handling oysters to people, if nominated. His brother, ty, died near Gatewood, Sunday of any great extent. These are paying Joseph A. Bristow, was the Republican nominee against Hon. W. A. Jones in



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in driving may be marred by a horse that shies, but the timid driver can feel secure when he is seated in one of our reliable Buggies. Their perfect construction, light and easy running gear, luxurious upholstery and finish, as well as their new and upto-date designs, make them comfortable, stylish and safe, and render them general favorites with

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Hotel Manager Dead Mr. Thomas B. Finks, of Culpeper county, died at the home of his father,

Horace B. Finks, near Jeffersonton, last Thursday night, after a short illness of inflammatory rheumatism and ard H Briggs and Miss Mamie M. erysipelas. He was aged 46 years. Mr. Finks was formerly manager of Hotel the church, officiating. Mr. Thos. S. Gleason, at Charlottesville, but more Alcocke, godfather of the bride, gave recently managed the Waverley Hotel, her away. Her sister, Miss Josie Courtat Culpeper. He had been an extensive ney, was maid of honor, and Mr. W. traveller, and was a man of wide ex

It Saved His Leg. P A Danforth, of LaGrange, Ga

St. Stephens Episcopal church at Oulpeper was the scene Tuesday afternoon at 3 p m of the marriage of Mr. Rich

Courtney, Rev. Mr. Ribble, pastor of

Marriage of Richard H. Briggs and Miss

Mamie M. Courtney

C. George, Jr , best man. The ushers were Captain T. E. Grimsley, Messr'srior C. J. Rixey, Jr., R. H. Howard, Oulpeper, and Charles H Newhouse consorts Rixeyville. Prof. Glenn Correll posided at the organ. The Senate in executive session has

confirmed the nomination of Henry Fairfax, of Loudoun, to be a member of the board of visitors of the Virginia Military Institute.